

41

Attorney Docket No.

Patent 1614  
016800-461

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of

Lionel Brenton et al.

Application No.: 09/981,751

Filing Date: October 19, 2001

Title: TREATING SKIN WRINKLES/FINE LINES WITH CALCIUM CHANNEL INHIBITORS

Group Art Unit: 1614

Examiner: Vickie Y. Kim

Confirmation No.: 6150

AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.

☒ A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.

☐ Terminal Disclaimer(s) and the ☐ \$55.00 (2814) ☐ \$110.00 (1814) fee per  
Disclaimer due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are also enclosed.

☐ Also enclosed is/are \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

☐ Small entity status is hereby claimed.

☐ Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the  
☐ \$385.00 (2801) ☐ \$770.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).

☐ Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments not be entered.  
Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above.

☐ Applicant(s) previously submitted \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_  
for which continued examination is requested.

☐ Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least \_\_\_\_\_,  
which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R.  
§ 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.

☐ A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also  
enclosed.

- ☐ No additional claim fee is required.
- ☒ An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below.

AMENDED CLAIMS					
	No. of Claims	Highest No. of Claims Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	21	MINUS 20 =	1	x \$18.00 (1202) =	\$ 18.00
Independent Claims	2	MINUS 3 =	0	x \$86.00 (1201) =	\$ 0.00
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$290.00 (1203)					
Total Claim Amendment Fee					\$ 18.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Claim Amendment Fee					\$ 0.00
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT</b>					<b>\$ 18.00</b>

☒ A check in the amount of \$ 18.00 is enclosed for the fee due.

☐ Charge \_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.

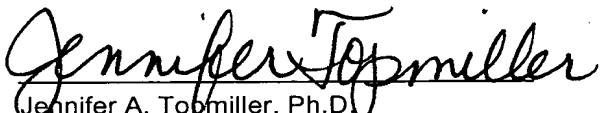
The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

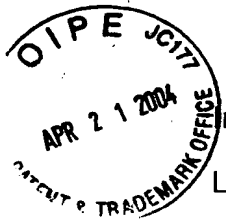
Respectfully submitted,

BURNS, DOANE, SWECKER & MATHIS, L.L.P.

P.O. Box 1404  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1404  
(703) 836-6620

Date: April 21, 2004

By   
Jennifer A. Topmiller, Ph.D.  
Registration No. 50,435



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of )

Lionel Breton et al. )

Application No.: 09/981,751 )

Filed: October 19, 2001 )

For: Treating Skin Wrinkles/Fine Lines )  
with Calcium Channel Inhibitors )

Group Art Unit: 1614

Examiner: Vickie Y. Kim

Confirmation No.: 6150

**REPLY & AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In complete response to the Office Action mailed November 21, 2003, please  
amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

04/22/2004 NBERHE 00000001 09981751

01 FC:1202

18.00 OP